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City gears up for DASARA

Sudha Murty to inaugurate 'Naada Habba' atop Chamundi Hill tomorrow

Hill Temple Chief Priest with the Chamundeshwari idol.

Sudha Murty

Mysuru, Oct.9 (MTY&BNR)- It is that time of the year when all eyes will be on the Heritage City as it celebrates the annual grandeur — Dasara, the *Naada Habba*. With the grand illumination of Mysore Palace, Heritage Buildings, Statue Circles, Central Business District and main thoroughfares of the city along with added attractions like Flower Shows, Exhibitions and variety of activities on the go, the Royal City has been jazzed up to catch the attention of the people from across the globe.

On the eve of the inauguration of Navaratri festivities, the 'Utsava Murthi' of Goddess Chamundeshwari of Chamundeshwari Temple atop the Chamundi Hill was brought out this morning. The idol of the presiding deity was thoroughly cleaned along with the silver chariot on which the Goddess will be placed during the inauguration tomorrow.

Temple vessels and other articles required to perform religious rituals were also cleaned under the supervision of Chief Priest Dr. N. Shashishekar Dixit.

(See DASARA on page 8)

'Sangeetha Vidwan' Award to Pt. Rajeev Taranath

Internationally acclaimed Sarod Maestro Pt. Rajeev Taranath, now settled in Mysuru, has been chosen for this year's 'Sangeetha Vidwan' Award, according to sources. However, as the octogenarian is away at USA, the award will be conferred on the celebrated artiste after his return to the city.

Born on Oct.17, 1932, Pt. Rajeev Taranath is a disciple of Ali Akbar Khan. He received his initial training in vocal music from his father Pt. Taranath and gave his first public vocal performance when he was nine. Although Pt.Rajeev held a Ph.D in Literature, he decided to give up his career as a Professor of English Literature and moved to Calcutta, where he began his musical training under Ali Akbar Khan.

Star of Mysore had published an exclusive interview with the awardee last year titled *'Pt. Rajeev Taranath: A Sarod Maestro and a Legend in our times'* in three parts on Oct.17, 18 and 19.

'May I Help You?'

People-friendly Police Unit launched for Dasara

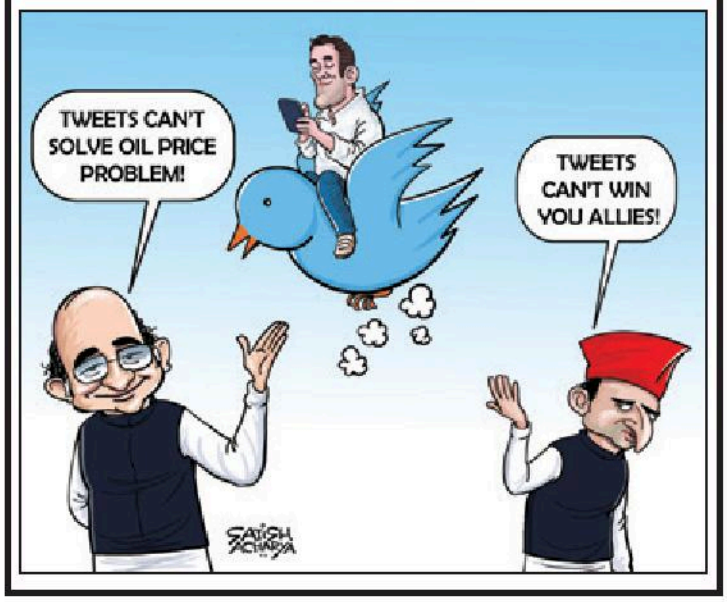
City Police Commissioner Dr. A. Subramanyeswara Rao seen wrapping 'May I Help You?' arm band to Traffic Police personnel at the press meet in city this morning.

Mysuru, Oct.9 (RK&SR)- The Dasara Sub-Committee on Procession and Torch Light Parade, headed by City Police Commissioner Dr. A. Subramanyeswara Rao, have made foolproof security arrangements to ensure this year's Dasara festivities is conducted smoothly without giving room to any complaints.

Apart from elaborate security arrangements, keeping close vigil on anti-social elements, taking crowd-preventing measures and deployment of additional Police Force, the City Police have also come up with some people-friendly initiatives this year like setting up Police Help Desks and People-Friendly Police Unit (Jana Mithra Wing).

(See HELP on page 8)

STAR PUNCH By Satish Acharya



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Mysuru, Tuesday 9th October 2018

Bountiful blame-game

Spoken language has its multitude of characteristics in any tongue ranging from extremely pleasing to unbearably harsh, insulting, humiliating, hurting, shocking, repulsive, irritating, embarrassing and what have you. While *blaming* somebody is never a pleasing experience for the person at its receiving end, the reaction it generates can be far less pleasing. The question of whether the blame is just or otherwise, when raised by the affected party only triggers wordy battles that should remind us of the Kannada saying *Geddavanu sotha, sothavanu satta* (which translates to: The winner loses, the loser is finished). Levelling *charges* on a person for various acts, misdemeanour or *accusing* somebody of any kind of uncivil conduct take us to a totally different plane of the *blame-game*. We are reminded by many seasoned motivational speakers that while we point our index finger at another person in an act of blaming, three of our fingers are pointing towards us, ostensibly to exercise caution before indulging in passing the buck as it were.

Whatever may be the choice of words for blaming others in any spoken language, we are told of another unuttered language called the *body language*, which sometimes can assume menacing character, likened to the burst of the proverbial mother-in-law at the hapless daughter-in-law of the *stories* about the two warring parties. The body language of the D-in-L in retaliation makes a fascinating study in our times.

Accepting a blame unconditionally and giving a word of assurance that there shall not be another occasion to invite the blame, in all humility, is not everybody's cup of tea. Not all is well in contemporary society witnessing the cosmic dance of the blame-game in which people of virtually all cross-section in the population are indulging disdainfully. The country's youth are being blamed for disrespecting the elderly in society. Teachers are blaming the student fraternity for indiscipline and neglect of studies. The elected representatives in various Legislative bodies have made it their whole-time business in hurling blame on each other for their perceived betrayal of the land's masses, looting public funds, speaking falsehood, making hollow promises, indulging in criminal acts and so on.

Blaming is an excellent defence mechanism driven by the desire to safeguard one's sense of self-esteem, unaware of one's own flaws or failings. Unlike other games, the more often you play the blame-game, the more you lose. Lastly, blaming *fate* or higher power, especially when there is no one else who could conceivably be found to blame, is mark of our culture.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

BAN FACEBOOK: ***The biggest disaster and crisis of this new era is that every individual's privacy is at risk. One of the biggest social media platforms Facebook, where one puts his or her personal profile, discovered a breach that attackers had exploited a code of feature called "view as" that allowed them to take over 50 million users' personal information. It was an attack and Facebook itself admitted that the number given for two-factor authentication were used to target advertising. This clearly reflects their negligence towards our privacy. The platform should be banned. This is because Facebook has no longer remained a platform for sharing ideas and for communication. It has become a money-making app that steals numbers and personal information in the name of offering a better, more personalised experience but violates the universal right to privacy.***

— Ismail Mulla Kannur in Business Standard.

NEWS SPARKLERS

Company builds boat that do not capsize

Dublin: Thunder Child, the revolutionary search and rescue boat that is virtually impossible to capsize has been built by an Irish company. The boat, when flipped upside down in the water is able to set itself right almost instantly.

Developed by Safehaven Marine for the Irish Navy, the 'Thunder Child' can reach up to 54 knots (62 mph), fits a crew of up to 10 people, and is designed to absorb shocks from rough seas. But its most impressive feature is the ability to bounce back into an upright position in any situation, which makes it impossible to capsize.

The low center of gravity not only makes the Thunder Child harder to flip over, and when underwater, the center of gravity shifts to the very top of the boat, making it extremely unstable and able to flip back to its normal position.

Artist's realistic wearable animal heads

Tokyo: Japanese model Kamonohashizokei (Platypus Modeling) has created the most realistic-looking wearable animal heads one has ever seen.

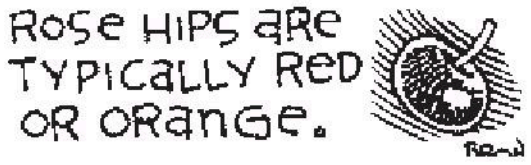
Looking at theses animal heads for the first time, you're tempted to think they're just that, creepy taxidermied heads, but in fact they are all synthetic hand-made renditions created by one of Japan's most talented modelers.

So far, Kamonohashizokei's collection of wearable animal heads includes models of lions, lionesses, husky dogs, cats, wolves, rams and even shoebills.

Kamonohashizokei's creations are so life-like that they've been featured in in commercials and film numerous times, but he also sells them online. They are priced between 264,600-286,200 yen ($2,468-$2,670), depending on the complexity and size of the model.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

Why should I eat rose hips?



Rose hips are the fruit of the wild rose, containing the seeds of the plant. They are one of nature's richest sources of Vitamin C, with about 1,250 MG per 100 grams. They are also rich in polyphenols, as well as the flavonoids Rutin and Hesperidin. Rose hip oil is known to regenerate skin, reducing scars and wrinkles.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

DFRL imparts training in tomato processing for farmers

Gundlupet, Oct.9 (RSB)- Defence Food Research Laboratory (DFRL), Mysuru, had conducted a one-day Tomato Processing training camp for rural farmers, during the Annual General Body Meeting of Gundlupet Farmer Producer Company (FPC) Ltd., in collaboration with local Horticulture and Agriculture Department at Gundlupet, recently.

Processing of tomato products such as tomato sauce and tomato chutney was demonstrated to the group of FPC farmers at the site. The DFRL also exhibited the processed food samples based on horticulture produce.

Senior Scientists of Fruits and Vegetables Technology Department of DFRL Prakash Patki, Scientist "G" and his technical team comprising Dr. Om Prakash Chauhan, Dr. Rudra Gowda, C. Nanjappa, Roopa, Tanveer Ahamed and other supporting staff conducted the training camp.

Organiser Madhu, Executive Director and Board of Director of FPC, was present.

Shivaprasad, Deputy Director, Shivalingappa, Assistant-Director of Horticulture Department and Dr. Mohan Kumar, Scientist from Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Haradanahally, Chamarajanagar, were also present.

About 300 progressive farmers participated and gained knowledge on tomato processing technologies from DFRL team.

Really...?

- ***There are over 3,000 kinds of snakes in the world. They are present in every continent except Antarctica.***
- ***Snakes, like other reptiles, are cold-blooded. This means that their body temperature changes according to the temperature of their environment, unlike warm-blooded animals whose temperature remains constant. Snakes which live in colder climates will therefore hibernate in winter as it would otherwise be too cold for them to survive.***

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VOICE OF THE READER

Stop dumping debris in conservancy lane

Sir,

The above picture is taken in Jayanagar 10th Cross. Some miscreants have covered the drainage with mud in order to take lorries in the conservancy to transport their construction materials. Because of this, even the conservancy lane is damaged. This act is causing a lot of public nuisance and the public property is being misused.

The owners had been warned by the neighbourhood to not continue this practice. However, it has been over a month and the negligence continues.

Therefore, I request the authorities concerned to take action immediately in public interest.

—Akshay Mithanthaya
on e-mail
Mysuru
1.10.2018

Complaint against MCC

Sir,

The street light on Paduvana Road A & B Block in Kuvempunagar, opposite House No. 457, has not been working for the last two months. I have lodged a complaint more than six times but no action has been taken by Mysuru City Corporation (MCC).

Fed up with the callous attitude of the authorities, I made a representation to our newly-elected Corporator Shivakumar, who was kind enough to call on me immediately a week back and assured me that action would be taken.

Unfortunately, nothing has materialised so far and the street remains dark. With an open field behind, we are afraid of stepping out with the possibility of snakes around. I once again request the MCC authorities to address this issue at the earliest.

—R. Krishnaswamy
Kuvempunagar
1.10.2018

Mysore Akashvani to air interviews with CM and Sudha Murty tomorrow

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (KS)- As part of Dasara festivities, Akashvani, Mysore, will be interviewing Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy, chief guest Sudha Murty, and Mysuru Deputy Commissioner (DC) Abhiram G. Sankar tomorrow morning.

While the interview of CM Kumaraswamy will be aired at 8.30 am, the interview of Sudha Murty will be broadcast at 8.45 am followed by the interview of DC Abhiram G. Sankar.

Dasara special programmes

As part of Navaratri festivities, Akashvani, Mysore, will be airing Dasara special programmes from Oct. 10 to 19.

Kumaraswamy *Sudha Murty*

A special talk on Dasara will be aired State-wide at 6.05 am. Devotional songs will be aired every day from 6.10 am to 6.30 am.

Special talks regarding the day's event by senior litterateurs will be aired every day for five minutes from 6.30 am to 6.35 am. Also, a special programme *'Dasaradalli Indu,'* a preview on various cultural programmes being held across the city will be broadcast.

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Short film contest date extended till Oct.12

Mysuru, Oct.9 (RSB)- The Dasara Film Festival Sub-Committee and Karnataka Chalanachitra Academy has extended the date of short film contest till Oct.12 (before 6 pm).

The short films must be in Kannada and should be in the time duration of 5 minutes (300 seconds). Best three films will be awarded with a citation and a memento. Interested can e-mail their short films to: *mysurudasarafilmfestival@gmail.com* or contact Dr. B. Srikantachar on Mob: 94481-08831.

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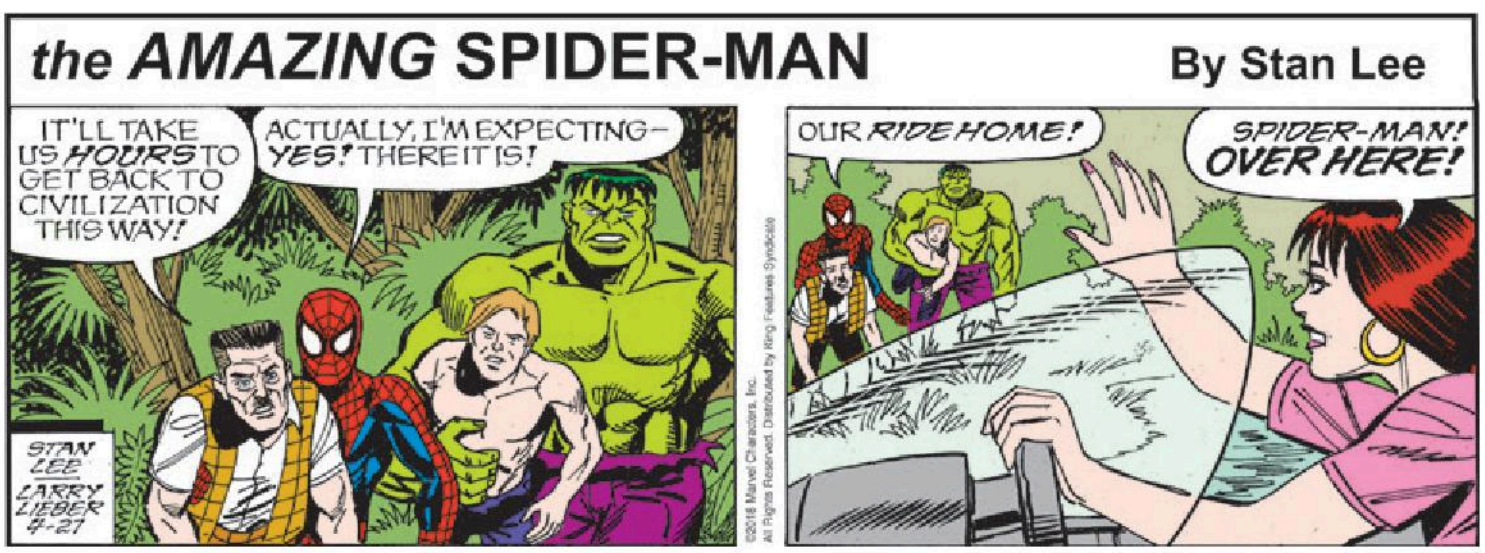
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NEWS BRIEFS

Vocational training at CIPET

The National Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation (NBCFDC) has invited applications from men and women in the age group of 18-31 years and belonging to backward classes to provide training on Machine Operator Assistant - Plastic Processing at Central Institute of Plastics Engineering and Technology (CIPET), Mysuru. The training will be for three months. Free food and accommodation will be provided to selected candidates. Those who wish to undergo training should carry relevant documents and attend the interview at CIPET in Hebbal Industrial Area on Oct.10. For details, contact Mob: 78999-86444 or Ph: 0821-2510619, according to a press release from CIPET.

Matru Basha Visharada Award

As part of Kannada Rajyotsava, 'Vinuthana' will be conferring 'Matru Bhasha Visharada Award' on students who have secured cent percent marks in Kannada language in SSLC and PUC exams (2017-18). Eligible students of Mysuru can send their application, along with relevant documents, to #670/1, 4th Cross, Kumarageri, Chamaraja Mohalla, Mysuru - 04, before Oct.20. For details, contact Mob: 93422-41291, according to a press release from Vinuthana.

Apply online for Scholarship

The Backward Classes Welfare Department will be providing fee concession and student scholarship through e-pass to eligible Backward Class students studying in JNM, B.Sc, Nursing and Paramedical (SSLC/ PUC). Hence, the eligible students, who have already applied, must renew online and even the fresh applicants must apply online at karepass.cgg.gov.in or www.backwardclasses.kar.nic.in
Last date to apply online is Oct.31. For details, contact Mob: 91642-42087 or 80507-70005 or 80507-70004, according to a press release from the Department.

Ph.D Awardee

M. Veena Urs has been awarded

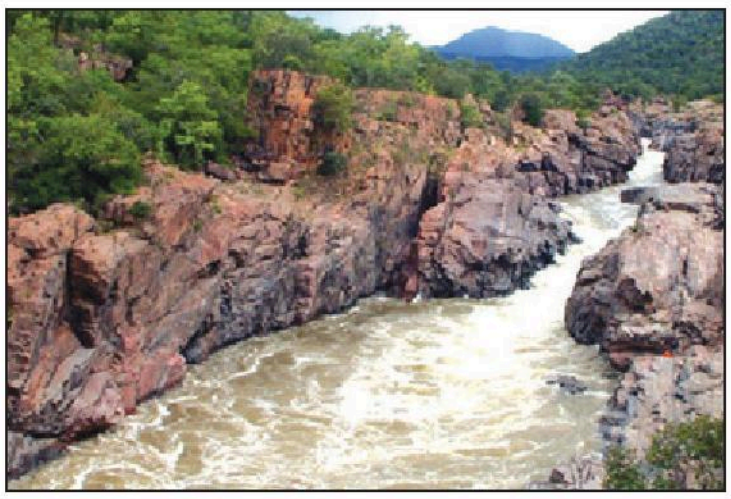
Ph.D in Business Administration by the University of Mysore (UoM) for her thesis 'Public and Private Sector Micro Finance Institutions: A Comparative Study of Select Companies' submitted under the guidance of Dr. B. Shivaraj.

TN again objects to Karnataka's Mekedatu Project

Bengaluru, Oct.9- With Lok Sabha Polls just a few months away, the Tamil Nadu Government has again raked up Karnataka's Mekedatu project, by taking up the issue with the Centre.

Tamil Nadu Chief Minister Palaniswamy, who met Prime Minister Narendra Modi at New Delhi yesterday, appealed the PM not to approve Mekedatu Drinking Water Project across Cauvery River along Karnataka-Tamil Nadu border.

This comes days after Karnataka CM H.D. Kumaraswamy, accompanied by JD(S) Supremo H.D. Deve Gowda and PWD Minister H.D. Revanna, met Union Water Resources Minister Nitin Gadkari at New Delhi, when the Union Minister is said to have promised all help to the State in executing the project.



Taking note of Nitin Gadkari's assurance to Karnataka, Tamil Nadu CM Palaniswamy met the Prime Minister yesterday and appealed him not to allow the project, as it would be detrimental to Tamil Nadu.

The Karnataka Cabinet, after approving the project, had written a letter to the Centre seeking approval for executing the project, which aims to store Cauvery water which flows wastefully to the sea.

CM H.D. Kumaraswamy, along with H.D. Deve Gowda and H.D. Revanna, had been successful in convincing Union Water Resources Minister Nitin Gadkari for granting nod to the project, by presenting statistical and other technical details.

But Tamil Nadu has unnecessarily again raked up the issue purely for political reasons with LS Polls round the corner.

Gruesome death of elephant Ranga

Owner of the private bus had filed a petition in Court to lift night ban in forests

The damaged Kalpaka bus which knocked down elephant Ranga in the vicinity of Mathigodu Elephant Camp in the wee hours yesterday. Picture right shows elephant Ranga, which was flung to the roadside after the bus rammed into him.

Mysuru, Oct.9 (KS)- The 'Kalpaka' bus, which knocked down elephant Ranga known as 'Rowdy Ranga,' in the wee hours of yesterday in the vicinity of Mathigodu Elephant Camp (under Nagarahole National Park) belongs to the person who has filed a petition in the Court to lift night ban in forest areas, according to sources in the Forest Department.

The State Government, in a bid to protect wildlife from roadkills during night, has banned night traffic at Bandipur, Nagarahole and other reserve forests. Similarly, traffic is banned on the stretch of road to Kerala that passes through Bandipur Reserve Forest from 9 pm to 6 am.

The Kerala Government had knocked the doors of Supreme Court urging it to lift the ban as it would affect the business in Kerala and the owner of Kalpaka bus too had filed a petition at Supreme Court on the same issue, sources said.

Pedestrain killed as lorry runs over

Mysuru, Oct.9 (SPN&DM)- In a tragic incident, a 55-year-old man from Chamarajanagar, who was on a temple visit to the city, was killed when he was run over by a lorry on the Ring Road near Uttanahalli on Sunday.

Madashetty (55) of Maliyur in Chamarajanagar district is the deceased.

Madashetty was crossing the Ring Road along with his family members to visit Uttanahalli Temple on the outskirts of the city on Sunday morning, when he was run over by a lorry transporting automobiles.

The seriously injured Madashetty was rushed to K.R. Hospital where he breathed his last the same evening.

The lorry driver fled from the spot soon after the mishap.

Mysuru Rural Police have registered a case in this regard and are investigating.

Driver, boy go missing from city

Manjunath

Mysuru, Oct.9 (KS)- In separate incidents, a driver attached to NCC Unit and a seven-year-old boy have gone missing from city.

In the first incident, a 42-year-old driver, attached to the Manasagangothri NCC Unit, has gone missing since Sept.16, 2016.

The missing driver is Manjunath, a native of Guddenahalli village in Hassan district.

Manjunath, who worked in the morning on Sept.16, went to have his lunch and has since gone missing.

Manjunath is wheatish in complexion, normal built and speaks Kannada. Though a notice was sent by post by the NCC Unit to his native place, the notice was not received.

Those having any information about the missing person may contact Jayalakshmipuram Police on Ph: 0821-2418316 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339/ 340.

In the second incident, a seven-year-old boy has gone missing from Nazarbad Police limits.

The missing boy is identified as Vardha, son of Mahadeva. Vardha had left the house at about 10 am on Sept.28.

Those having any information about Vardha, may contact Nazarbad Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418308 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339/340.

Three arrested for car-jacking

Mysuru, Oct.9- The Alanahalli Police, who arrested three car-lifters, have succeeded in recovering a stolen car worth about Rs.3 lakh and an auto used for the crime.

The arrested have been identified as Krishnamurthy alias Arjun, 24, Manukumar, 24, both from Bengaluru and M.P. Naveen, 40, a resident of Kesare in city.

While Naveen is an auto-driver in the city, Krishnamurthy and Manukumar worked as cab drivers at Bengaluru and the three were known to each other.

The three were accused of stealing the Maruti Swift car belonging to one Jayaram of Yaraganahalli in the city on Sept.23, by using duplicate keys.

The trio, after stealing the car, changed its number plate and had a joy ride in it in different parts of the State.

The trio had also visited Mysuru, from where they went to Kollegal. They were returning to Mysuru from Kollegal on Sunday, when the Alanahalli Police tracked the stolen car and arrested the trio.

One of the accused, Krishnamurthy was also wanted in a theft case registered in Nazarbad Police Station some time ago, according to the Police.

Town Hall multi-level parking facility open for Dasara visitors

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (RK&DM)- The multi-level parking lot in Town Hall premises is all set to accommodate about 1,000 vehicles during Dasara.

With Dasara festivities to commence tomorrow (Oct. 10), Deputy Commissioner Abhiram G. Sankar accompanied by MCC officials inspected Raja Marga civil works and cleaning works at Town Hall parking lot yesterday.

As he inspected Raja Marga, the DC directed the officials to maintain the area clean.

He later visited the Town Hall parking lot, which can accommodate 1,000 vehicles including 300 four-wheelers.

He directed the officials to deploy security personnel for guiding vehicles entering and leaving the parking facility.

Instructing the officials to make sure that over 700 two-wheelers can be parked in two other floors of the parking lot, Abhiram Sankar asked the officials to erect direction boards at every floor and to ensure that vehicles move in and out of the parking lot without any hassles.

He also instructed the officials to take necessary steps for ensuring that rain water does not gush into the ground floor.

MCC Commissioner K.H. Jagadeesha, SE Suresh Babu and other officials were present.

Gun House Circle camouflaged to look beautiful for Navaratri

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (US&MTY)- The controversial Gun House Circle, which was looking ugly with zinc sheets all around it and was an eyesore for tourists, has now been covered with canvas and painted yellow and red with the co-operation of JSS Mahavidyapeetha.

Work had begun to install a statue of Dr. Sri Shivarathri Rajendra Swamiji at the Circle by JSS Mahavidyapeetha when a few people moved the Court seeking a statue of late Srikanta Datta Narasimharaja Wadiyar at the Circle and also obtained a stay order from the Court. The zinc sheets covering the Circle was a disturbing sight for tourists visiting the Palace.

MCC Commissioner K.H. Jagadeesha had appealed JSS Mahavidyapeetha to cover the Circle appropriately to obscure the undesirable zinc sheets and had even said that MCC was ready to do the job.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Jagadeesha said that MCC would co-operate if various organisations come forward to beautify the city. However, he added that the new look of Gun House Circle by JSS Mahavidyapeetha was just a temporary one in view of Dasara.

MGP Monthly Meeting with MP Pratap Simha

Pratap Simha

Mysuru, Oct.9- Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP) will hold its monthly public meeting on Sunday (Oct. 14) at 4 pm at its office, 6/1, Vivekananda Road, Yadavagiri. Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha will interact with the public at the meeting.

Interested public may attend the interaction. Questions to be put to the MP have to be submitted to: *mygrapa@gmail.com* before Friday (Oct. 12). Impromptu questions will not be allowed. Questions should be restricted to the following topics:

1. MPLAD projects; **2.** Amruth water project; **3.** National Highways in and around Mysuru; **4.** Railway proposals to benefit Mysuru; **5.** Mysuru Airport and **6.** Creating jobs in Mysuru, according to press release from Prof. S. Sobana of MGP.

TEASER By N. Prakash

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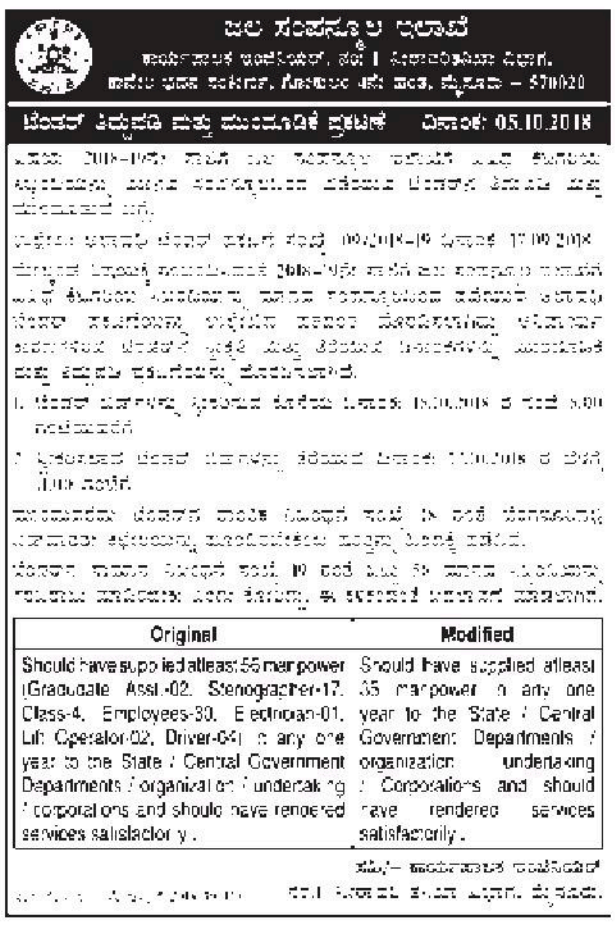
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Judges, retirement and justice

Point of VIEW

T.J.S. George

Chief Justices come and Chief Justices go, but the going of Chief Justice of India (CJI) Dipak Misra has been somewhat historic. He was, for example, the first CJI to face an impeachment petition. He was the first and only CJI against whom four Senior Judges not only had complaints but publicly expressed them by calling a press conference. This sensational spectacle took place only this January and the impeachment move was as recent as April, just six months ago. But in these few short months, Chief Justice Misra's image went through a transformation and he retired in what looked like a blaze of glory.

What happened? Was the impeachment move a political act by the Congress because Justice Misra was seen to be siding with the BJP? Did he side with the BJP? Did he come out in his last few months with historic judgements in order to retrieve his reputation? Was he out to prove that his critics were small-minded?

No one can belittle the importance of the judgements that stand out as markers of Justice Misra's career. In 1993, he dared to confirm the death sentence on Yakub Memon in the Mumbai bomb blast case and faced death threats as a result. He had also made passive euthanasia a reality by allowing "living wills." Then came, in his final days, rulings that provided Constitutional space to the LGBT community, decriminalised adultery, allowed women to go to Sabarimala.

These are social subjects with little political importance. Judges can take their stand on them without worrying about their political ramifications. But two other topics on which the Misra Bench pronounced verdicts are politically sensitive — Aadhaar and Ayodhya. The verdicts on these have not fetched universal applause. Aadhaar has made all kinds of data about citizens available to all kinds of institutions as well as the Government. The judgement has struck out a few heads but allowed data under other heads to remain. Nor has there been any relief on the vast data already made available. What the judgement achieved was to give the impression of a progressive approach without in any way abridging the Government's ability to use/misuse the data on citizens. It is, shall we say, a careful and clever judgement, not a people-oriented one.

Ditto with Ayodhya. The ruling was that it is not essential for Muslims to have a mosque for them to pray. They can by tradition pray anywhere. (That is true. They can even spread a mat on a shop floor and do *namaz*. But when they tried to pray in the open in Gurugram in April they had Police protection but that didn't prevent "activists" from appearing and causing tension while dispersing them.) The unwritten message in the judgement is that there is no real necessity for a new Babri Masjid to be constructed at Ayodhya. That in turn means, of course, that there is no real impediment for a new Ram temple to be constructed at the site. Again, careful and clever.

The balance sheet is that the Dipak Misra Court gave out a cluster of progressive judgements in which the ruling dispensation was not all that interested, but turned mindful of the power elite in the two cases which had a political dimension. In those two cases the verdict could only have made the party in power happy.

Did that have anything to do with the Bar Council of India passing a formal resolution on the eve of Justice Misra's retirement asking him not to accept any government assignment after retirement at least for two years? This is a recurring issue. Great Judges like J.S. Verma set examples by staying retired after retirement. Chief Justice R.M. Lodha said on his retirement day that no Judge should take a post-retirement government job or Constitutional Office. But Lodha's successor P. Sathasivam walked from the Supreme Court straight to the Raj Bhavan in Kerala. Like the earlier CJI K.G. Balakrishnan, Sathasivam said there was nothing wrong in taking up the job. Critics said it was a *quid pro quo* with BJP boss Amit Shah.

Arun Jaitley put it best when he said, "Pre-retirement judgements are influenced by a desire for a post-retirement job." But that was in 2012 when he was Leader of the Opposition. Now that he is in power, his vision is not as clear as before. So, will Balakrishnan-Sathasivam kind of expediency win, or Verma-Lodha kind of integrity? What we know is that Justice Dipak Misra's post-retirement moves will be keenly watched, which is a good thing for the country.

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Dipak Misra

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Lantern Park to brighten up Dasara Exhibition this year

Mysuru, Oct.9 (MTY&SR)- The Lantern Park, which is famous in China and Dubai, will brighten up the premises of Dasara Exhibition this year.

The Department of Tourism is setting up this Park at a cost of Rs.1.50 crore at 15,000 square feet area in the Dasara Exhibition Grounds where the exhibition will be held for 90 days.

Mysuru-based *Dream Petals* organisation has taken this project of setting up Lantern Park which will be designed in correspondence with the Dasara culture, tradition and history besides reflecting the contributions of Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar.

A nineteen-member expert team, which is hired by *Dream Petals*, will be arriving in city this evening to set up this Lantern Park which will also feature a Rose Garden created with over 5,000 LED bulbs.

These Chinese experts had successfully created Lantern Parks in United Kingdom, Netherland and other countries.

Chinese celebrate New Year on Feb.15 every year by establishing different themes of Lantern Park. Of late, such parks are becoming immensely popular in many countries of the world.

Attractions at Lantern Park

The theme Park will be depicting 408 years of history of Naada Habba Dasara, Vijayanagara Empire, Wadiyars of Mysuru and other Dasara related activities. A 3D LED display featuring Chamundi Hill, Mahishasura Mardhana, *Jumboo Saavari*, Puja Kunita, Dollu Kunita and other folk dance will be other major highlights of this Park.

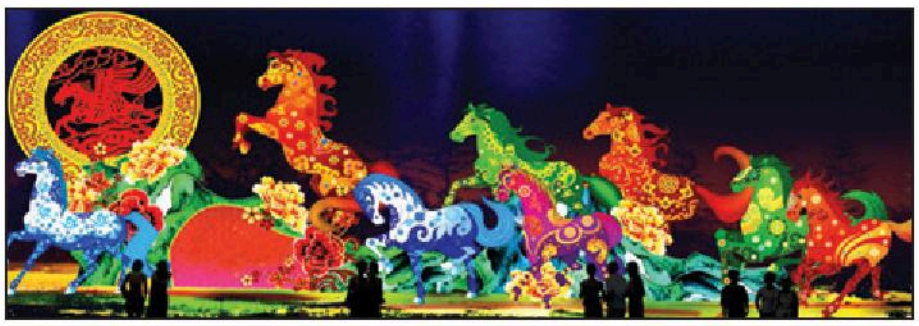
A big 3D LED display featuring 'Mahishasura Mardhani' will be displayed which will be surrounded by the Rose Garden created with LED bulbs.

Thousands of Silk Lantern produced in China, depicting the tradition of the land, other costly materials and equipment will be used in this Park. However, entry is free to this Lantern Park for all visitors who visit Dasara Exhibition.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, M. Nikitha and M. Nikhila, Founders of *Dream Petals*, said as many as 19-member team of experts will be arriving from China to set up this Park. These experts will do all the related works. The 3D LED display and aerial look of the Park would definitely attract the visitors. This is the first time such a Park is being set up in city. The Lantern Park will be kept ready before the *Jamboo Savari* procession.

M. Nikitha and M. Nikhila

A graphical representation of the Lantern Park proposed to come up in the Dasara Exhibition Grounds in city.



A group of Chinese experts, who are well-versed with setting up of Lantern Parks. Among them a 19-member team will arrive in city this evening.

City gears up for Dasara

Stage being readied for the inauguration of Dasara cultural programmes at Palace premises tomorrow evening.

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The hilltop has been spruced up with traditional *chappara* and *thaliru-thorana*. A huge stage will be erected for the dignitaries to inaugurate the festival. The road leading to the hill temple has been illuminated and also there is a special illuminated 'welcome' board both in English and Kannada to greet the visitors.

Puja rituals at the temple will begin at 5.30 am tomorrow with Panchamrutha Abhisheka, Archane, Navaratri Yantra Puja (Kalasa Puja) and Suhasini Puja. Prasadam will be distributed to devotees after the mangalarathi. In the evening, Durbar Utsava will be held for the Goddess along with other rituals including Abhisheka, Yantra Puja and Mahamangalarathi.

The 409th Navaratri (nine nights) festivities will be formally inaugurated by Infosys Foundation Chairperson Sudha Murty at Chamundeshwari Temple atop the Hill tomorrow (Oct.10) in the auspicious *Tula Lagna* between 7.05 am and 7.35 am.

Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy, Dy.CM Dr. G. Parameshwara will be the guests of honour. Higher Education and District in-Charge Minister G.T. Devegowda will preside. Ministers S.R. Mahesh, Dr. Jayamala, C. Puttarangashetty, N. Mahesh and Rajashekar Basavaraj Patil will be the chief guests.

Schedule of other events tomorrow

At 9 am, Dy.CM Dr. G. Parameshwara will inaugurate the Police Helpline Kiosk and at **9.30 am,** the Sports Torch will be lit by PWD Minister H.D. Revanna atop Chamundi Hill.

11.30 am: Inauguration of Film Festival by Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy at Kalamandira; **2 pm:** Food and Civil Supplies Minister B.Z. Zameer Ahmed Khan inaugurates Food Fest (Aahara Mela) at Bharat Scouts and Guides Ground and MUDA ground next to Lalitha Mahal Palace.

3.30 pm: The Chief Minister will inaugurate Dasara Wrestling Contest at D. Devaraj Urs Multi-purpose Stadium in Dasara Exhibition Grounds.

4 pm: Kannada & Culture Minister Dr. Jayamala inaugurates Book Stalls at CADA Office premises. Dy.CM Dr. G. Parameshwara and International athlete M.R. Poovamma will open Dasara Sports Meet at Chamundi Vihar Stadium.

4.30 pm: Glass House at Kuppanna Park will be dedicated to Mysuru by Water Resources Minister D.K. Shivakumar; Inauguration of Dasara Exhibition by the CM at Dasara Exhibition Grounds.

4.45 pm: Inauguration of Information Department Stall at Dasara Exhibition Grounds by Minor Irrigation Minister C.S. Puttaraju and inauguration of Flower Show at Kuppanna Park by Horticulture Minister M.C. Managoli.

6.15 pm: Inauguration of illumination at Green Pendal on Sayyaji Rao Road by PWD Minister H.D. Revanna.

Cultural events at Palace and 'Sangeetha Vidwan' Award Presentation

At 6 pm, the CM will inaugurate Cultural Programmes at the illuminated Mysore Palace and will present 'State Sangeetha Vidwan' Award. MLA S.A. Ramdas will preside.

7 pm: Dasara elephant Balarama releases its biography titled *'Aane Banthondaane - Balaramana Gajapayana,'* originally written in English (Balarama's Story - An Elephant's Journey) by Alladi Jayasri and D.K. Bhaskar and translated into Kannada by C.R. Naveen.

Dasara attractions

There will be Special Flights between Bengaluru and Mysuru from Oct.10 to 19 (Tuesday no flights); Open Bus Tours from Oct.10 to 19; Ornamental Fish Show at J.K. Grounds from Oct.12 to 14, Open Street Festival on Krishnaraja Boulevard (on the stretch between Oriental Research Institute and City Law Courts Complex) on Oct.13; Pet Show at Mysore University Hockey Grounds on Oct.14, Dasara Heritage Treasure Hunt on Oct.17, apart from Yuva Dasara at Maharaja's College Grounds, Yoga Dasara atop Chamundi Hill, Kavi Goshti at Jaganmohan Palace, Water Sports at Varuna Lake, Mahila Dasara, Chinnara Dasara and Raitha Dasara at J.K. Grounds featuring various contests and programmes and cultural programmes to be held at various venues including Mysore Palace premises. The celebrations will conclude with the Grand Finale *Jumboo Savari* followed by Torchlight Parade on Oct.19. For details and registrations, visit the official Dasara website: *http://www.mysoredasara.gov.in/*

Preparations at Mysore Palace

SAY IT WITH ROSES: ***Tourists to the Mysore Palace were received in a traditional manner with garland, shawl and Mysore Peta today.***

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (RKB&US)- Brisk preparations were on at Mysore Palace premises this morning to erect a huge stage to hold cultural programmes. Seating arrangements were also being made for various categories.

Private Durbar: Preparations were also on for holding the Private Durbar at the Palace tomorrow. The rituals will commence tomorrow at 4.30 am with 'Yenne Shastra' followed by decorating the golden throne, 'Kankana Dhare' for Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar and 'Devara Karya' at Savarthotti with Pattada elephant, horse and cow.

Yaduveer will ascend the throne at 11.45 am to hold the private durbar at the Durbar Hall after the traditional rituals.

'May I Help You?'

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These units will not only provide guidance to tourists, but will also provide information about Dasara related activities and tourist spots in city.

Addressing a press meet at a private hotel here this morning, City Police Commissioner Dr.A. Subramanyeswara Rao said that the Police will ensure conduct of peaceful Dasara celebrations that will held from Oct. 10 to 19.

He said that the Police Department is utilising the services about 5,500 Police personnel drawn up various Police wings from across the State for this year's Dasara festivities, as large numbers of visitors will be thronging the city. Services of KSRP, CAR, DAR, Anti Sabotage Squad, Dog Squad, Bomb Detection and Disposal Squad, Special Commando Force and other units is being utilised this time. The first batch of 1,200 personnel have already arrived in the city and the second batch will arrive on Oct 18, he added.

Police Help Desk/Kiosks

The Police chief said that as part of People-Police Friendly initiative, 40 Police Help Desks (kiosks) exclusively to guide and help both the visitors and tourists visiting city during Dasara festivities will be set up at various locations in city. The Police personnel, deputed for this purpose will guide the tourists related to tourists spots in and around Mysore besides providing details of Dasara festivities.

He said that the Department has deputed 50 Police personnel to provide Dasara related information to the visitors. Police Information Centres will also be set up at 36 locations in city besides making arrangements to provide information to public through social media. Dasara related information will also to be provided at three Variable Message Sign Boards installed by the Police Department near Columbia Asia Hospital, Mysore Palace and other location.

A fully equipped Police patrol vehicle with Police personnel is being kept ready to prevent any untoward incidents. This apart, 16 fire fighting units and 17 ambulances will be stationed at vantage places to tackle fire and other emergencies during the festivities.

Traffic control

The Police Department has also taken measures to control traffic movement in and around Mysore Palace and other 36 venues identified for Dasara events like Ahara Mela (Food Fair), Yuva Dasara and other events. Traffic will be diverted to prevent traffic jams in city. Special Parking lot has been made for vehicle parking at all venues.

DCP (Law and Order) N. Vishunvardhana, DCP (Crime and Traffic) Dr. Vikram V. Amathe and other Police officials were present at the press meet.

Modi to interact with city BJP workers through video-conferencing tomorrow

Modi

Mysuru, Oct.9 (PM&SR)- Prime Minister Narendra Modi will interact with BJP workers of Mysuru-Kodagu Parliamentary Constituency through video-conferencing at Senate Bhavan in Manasagangothri campus here tomorrow at 3.30 pm.

Informing this to reporters at Senate Bhavan this morning, MP Prathap Simha said that the Prime Minister will interact with activists for 15 minutes. He had selected his Parliamentary constituency following the highest number of three lakh followers in his *twitter, Facebook* and other social networking sites.

Earlier, the Prime Minister had held such video-conferences in North Indian States of four Parliamentary constituencies.

Mysuru-Kodagu Parliamentary constituency is the first in South India which has highest number of followers for the party in the social networking sites.

Chief Minister Kumaraswamy to arrive in city tonight

EC's clarification on poll code awaited, says DC

Kumaraswamy

Abhiram

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (RK&DM)- With the inauguration of 10-day Dasara festival scheduled to take place atop Chamundi Hill tomorrow morning, Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy will be arriving in city tonight to take part in Dasara inauguration, according to a communique issued by the CM's Office at Bengaluru.

DC on poll code

Meanwhile, Mysuru Deputy Commissioner (DC) Abhiram G. Sankar, speaking to *Star of Mysore* this morning over participation of the CM and other elected representatives in Dasara inauguration tomorrow in the wake of Model Code of Conduct, clarified that the District Administration is yet to receive a response from the Election Commission (EC) on whether they can take part in Dasara festivities.

The Model Code of Conduct is in force following the announcement of Lok Sabha (LS) bypolls from Mandya. As the poll code applies for Mysuru District too with K.R. Nagar Assembly segment being a part of Mandya LS seat, the DC said that the District Administration is expecting a direction in this regard from the EC by this evening.

The State Chief Secretary too is following up the issue with the Election Commission, he said.

Sudha Murty arriving this evening

The DC further said that Infosys Foundation Chairperson Sudha Murty, who will inaugurate Dasara festivities atop Chamundi Hill tomorrow, will arrive in city by air directly from Tirupati at 4 pm today and will stay for the night at the Infosys Guest House in Hebbal Industrial Area.

Month-long Dasara Doll Show at Jaganmohan Palace

Mysuru, Oct.9 (RKB&DM)- A month-long Dasara Doll Show 'Jaganmohanam - One lakh Mega Doll Festival,' organised under the aegis of Srikantadatta Narasimharaja (SDNR) Wadiyar Foundation, will begin at Jaganmohan Palace in city tomorrow.

Announcing this at a press meet at Jaganmohan Palace here this morning, Kalyana Chakravarthy of Gayatri Seva Trust, Tenali, Andhra Pradesh, which will run the show, said that this is the first time such a mega Doll Festival is being held in Mysuru.

Explaining the significance of the festival, Chakravarthy said Dolls were ambassadors of different cultures from a long time.

Pointing out that dolls serve as a medium to express different historical and ethical stories to common man and are bonded to our culture, he said that the dolls at the show are of a variety of sizes portraying different cultures and traditions and are made of different materials like wood, glass, metal, bamboo, ceramics, paper mache etc.

Stating that the dolls at the show have been collected from across the country over the past two years, he said that the show will take place till Nov.10 and will be open between 10 am and 7.30 pm on all days.

He further said that the entry fee for adults is Rs.25 per head and for children Rs. 15.

SDNR Wadiyar Foundation Secretary M. Lakshminarayan was present at the press meet.

'Save Sabarimala' prayer walk protest held in city

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (PM&DM)- Strongly objecting to the recent Supreme Court verdict regarding women's entry to the famous Sabarimala Temple in Kerala, nearly 100 devotees under the banner of Ayyappa Bhakta Mandali, Mysuru, held a prayer walk 'Save Sabarimala' in the city this morning to register their protest.

The prayer walk in which more than 10 women too took part, commenced from Kote Anjaneya Temple at the Palace North Gate and passed through Gandhi Square, K.T. Street and Irwin Road before culminating at Sathyanarayana Temple on Sayyaji Rao Road.

Claiming that the Supreme Court ruling that no women can be stopped from entering Sabarimala Temple in Kerala, thus ending a traditional ban on the entry of women between 10 to 50 years of age to the hilltop shrine, was totally against Sabarimala tradition followed since decades, the protestors demanded a review of the SC order.

Mandali office-bearers Vinay, Govardhan, Manu Ayyappa and others took part.

CM to meet MCC Pourakarmika leaders in B'luru this afternoon

Mysuru, Oct.9 (PM&DM)- Even as the indefinite stir launched by MCC Pourakarmikas seeking fulfilment of their demands entered the seventh day today, Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy has convened a meeting with Pourakarmika leaders at Vidhana Soudha, at 3 pm today, in a bid to end the impasse.

The Pourakarmikas are demanding regularisation of service, minimum wages and abolition of contract system, among others.

More than 10 Pourakarmika leaders led by Karnataka Rajya Nagarapalike, Nagarasabhe, Purasabhe Pourakarmika Maha Sangha, State President Narayana, who is also the former Mayor of Mysuru and office-bearers N. Mara, R. Shivanna, Manchaiah and others, left the city for Bengaluru this morning to attend the meeting with the Chief Minister, in which officials from all concerned Departments will also take part.

The outcome of the meeting is keenly watched by the Pourakarmikas, as the calling off of the indefinite stir is largely dependent on the Government's decision on fulfilment of their long-standing demands, according to sources.

Meanwhile, the regular Pourakarmikas, who returned to work on Sunday, have stepped up cleaning and sweeping across the city, bringing some amount of relief to the citizens of the city, which is stinking with uncleared garbage and waste piled up over the past week.

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Dasara Flower Show
at Kuppanna Park

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (US&SPN)- The Dasara Flower Show to be held from Oct. 10 to Oct. 21 at Kuppanna Park in Nazarbad will feature an array of colourful and ornamental flowers, exotic species of plants. Amidst them will be attractive formations of flowers which include Lotus Temple, Palace Entrance, Amar Jawan, Ashoka Pillar, Cannons, Dolphins, Penguins, Dancing Dolls, Doremon and a Tree House.

The 12-day Flower Show organised under the aegis of District Administration, Zilla Panchayat and District Horticulture Association will be inaugurated tomorrow at 4 pm by District Minister G.T. Devegowda along with other Ministers.

About 85,000 earthen pots with 45 varieties of flowering plants have been arranged in an artistic manner at the Park. A replica of Lotus Temple with roses will be made inside the newly-constructed Glass House inside the Park. The other listed flower formations too would be a star attraction for the visitors.

AMUSEMENT PARK

An Amusement Park featuring Titanic Ship, Break Dance, Sun-Moon and boating for kids will be another attraction along with the Musical Fountain functional everyday from 7 pm to 7.30 pm and again from 8 pm to 8.30 pm.

FOOD STALLS

About 50 food stalls are set up to serve delicious Delhi Papad, spicy fritters, Davanagere Dosa, Chats and many more at the Kuppanna Park, also known as Nishad Bagh. About 12 cameras have been installed.

CONTESTS

Flower rangoli contest will be held on Oct. 12 followed by drawing on Oct. 14 and Indian Flower Art on Oct. 16.

The prizes will be given away to winners on Oct. 21 at Kuppanna Park during the valedictory, according to ZP CEO and District Horticulture Association President K. Jyothi.

TIMINGS

The Flower Show will be open for visitors daily from 9 am to 9.30 pm. The entry fee is Rs. 25 for adults and Rs. 10 for children. No extra fee will be charged for cameras.

Dasara Games CM Cup 2018 to begin from tomorrow

International Athlete M.R. Poovamma to inaugurate

Mysuru, Oct.9- The traditional Dasara Games, conducted since nearly four-decades from the Taluk level, District level, Divisional level and State level has been changed from this year and the Games have been renamed as the Dasara Games CM Cup 2018.

The Games will be conducted in a revised format, jointly by the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES), Govt. of Karnataka, Karnataka Olympic Association (KOA) and District Administration at Chamundi Vihar Stadium Sports Complex and various other venues in city from Oct.10 to 16.

Events will be conducted in 24 disciplines with 23 games — Archery, Athletics, badminton, basketball, boxing, cycling, fencing, football, gymnastics, handball, hockey, judo, kabaddi, kho-kho, tennis, netball, swimming, table tennis, Taekwondo, volleyball, weight lifting, wrestling and wushu — to be held in Mysuru and one game (Shooting) in Bengaluru (SAI Centre, Bengaluru).

M.R. Poovamma

Top eight teams in each disciplines selected by the State Associations will take part in the Team events and top eight ranked players, according to the ranking nominated by the Association, will be taking part in the individual games. The Government has enhanced the prize money substantially, compared to the previous years both in the team as well as the individual events. The certificates issued from this year has been valid which was not the case in the previous years.

Inauguration

The Dasara Games CM Cup 2018 will be inaugurated by International athlete M.R. Poovamma tomorrow (Oct.10) at 4 pm. The Sports Torch, which will be lit atop Chamundi Hill in the morning, will be carried in a relay by sports persons through the main thoroughfares of the city and brought to Chamundi Vihar Stadium for the inauguration. This was announced at a press conference at Chamundi Vihar Stadium last evening.

Jakarta 2018 Asian Para Games

Mysuru girl Ramya wins silver in Javelin-Throw for India

***S. Ramya** (right) seen after winning the silver in the Women's Javelin-Throw F46 event in the ongoing Indonesia 2018 Asian Para Games 2018.*

Mysuru, Oct.9- Mysuru's Ramya Shanmugham, 24, representing India in the Jakarta 2018 Asian Para Games, won Silver Medal in the Women's Javelin-Throw F46 event with a throw of 31.51m on Monday at the GBK Main Stadium in Jakarta, Indonesia.

Ergasheva Roziyakhon of Uzbekistan won the Gold with a throw of 34.10m while Maryam of UAE secured Bronze with a throw of 31.03m.

Ramya incidentally had represented India in the Faza International Athletics Championships World Para Grand Prix 2018, held at Dubai on Mar.13, 2018 and won Gold in the women's Discus-Throw event with a throw of 31.47m. Ramya also won a Bronze Medal in Shot-Put and Javelin-Throw in the same Championships.

A BE Mechanical Engineering Graduate, Ramya, born with a deformity in her left hand, is presently employed at a Sports Centre in city.

Ramya took up to active Para Athletics in June 2016, inspired and motivated by Mysuru's well-known athlete Mohan Kumar who is her present coach. Earlier during her school days at Sathyamangalam, Ramya was encouraged to take up to athletics by her School Physical Director Kandaswamy. Ramya is the daughter of Shanmugham and Subbalakshmi who hail from Satyamangalam in Tamil Nadu.

BCCI Women's U23 T20 Challenger Series

India Green wins title

Mysuru, Oct. 9- R.N. Chaudhari's four wickets haul and Sushree Dibyadarshini's three-for-ten guide India Green to a comprehensive win in the final of BCCI U-23 T20 Challenger Trophy against India Blue by eight wickets in the tie played at the SDNR Wadiyar Grounds here yesterday.

India Blue won the toss and chose to bat first. But their decision was not fruitful as they lost their opener and captain Devika Vaidya in the 1st over. Vaidya was the star in her team's win in the previous two matches but in the final, she went for a duck.

Priya Punia and Anjali Singh started to build the partnership and both added 31 runs. Before they could move further, Chaudhari picked up Anjali Singh and handed over the second breakthrough to her team. Ayushi Soni followed her, after scoring only 1.

Middle-order couldn't stay longer at the crease as the wickets started falling at regular intervals. Monica Patel tried her best to score big but didn't get any support from the other batters. She was dismissed after scoring 19 off 15 with 3 fours. Chaudhari bagged 4 wickets and Divyadarshini scalped 3 wickets and restricted India Blue to 70 runs in 17.4 overs.

While chasing, India Green took only 12.5 overs to reach the target. Though they lost their opener, Nikita Chauhan, very cheaply but captain S. Meghana and Disha Kasat build a stable 49-run partnership before the former got out. Kasat anchored the chase and scored an unbeaten 43 off 37 with 6 fours and a six and helped India Green win the title with 7.1 overs to spare.

SCORES

India Blue: 70 in 17.4 overs (Priya Punia 22, Sushree Dibyadarshini 3 for 10, R.N. Choudhari 2 for 18, C. Prathyusha 2 for 10) lost to **India Green:** 72 for 2 in 12.5 overs (Disha Kasat 43 n.o.).

Youth Olympics: Shooter Mehuli settles for Silver in 10m Air Rifle

Buenos Aires, Oct.9- The highly-talented Mehuli Ghosh came within striking distance of winning a historic gold before settling for a silver medal in the women's 10m air-rifle shooting event of the Youth Olympic Games here Monday.

A 9.1 in the 24th and final shot, after an excellent sequence of high and mid 10s, cost her the gold medal as she eventually settled for the second position with a total of 248.0. India has never won a gold in these Games. The 18-year-old Indian finished behind Denmark's Stephanie Grundsoee, who ended with a score of 248.7.

This was India's second silver from the shooting ranges in two days with Shahu Mane coming second in the men's air rifle event on Sunday.

Wins IBSF World U16 Snooker Championship

Mysuru, Oct.9- Keerthana Pandian, daughter of Arasan Pandian, Deputy General Manager - Quality Engg. Dept., of Equipment Division, BEML Ltd., Mysuru, won 'IBSF World U16 Snooker Championship' held at St. Petersburg, Russia, recently.

She is currently pursuing her I PUC (Commerce) at Sri Bhagawan Mahaveer Jain College in Robertsonpet, Kolar Gold Fields (KGF).

Keerthana

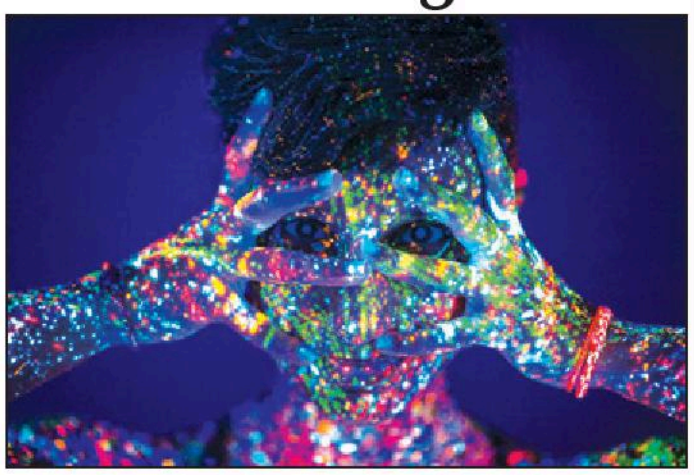
Winners in Wrestling Contest

Mysuru, Oct.9- The following students of TTL Independent PU College excelled in the PUC District-level Wrestling Competition (2018-19) conducted at Gymnasium Hall, University of Mysore, Mysuru, recently: B. Chethan (U-63 kg category) and Varun (U-72 kg) secured 1st place in their respective category while K.S. Subhash (U-60 kg) and Arun Kumar (U-65 kg) secured 2nd place.

Vaastu-Feng Shui & Bio-energetics

By S.B.S.Surendran
Accredited Master Feng Shui Consultant

Controlling energy flow through art



Feng meaning Wind (pronounced as Fung) and Shui meaning Water (pronounced as Shway) are the two energies, which symbolise all the other energies existing in the universe.

Feng Shui is not a religious practice or a belief but in its simplest form is the Art of placing or arranging objects within a space so that they are pleasing to you and naturally support you within the context of that space.

It could also be referred as an environmental science and its origins are simple and it is the interpretation of the natural world. From nutrition to medicine, exercise (Taichi), martial arts, Fine arts to calligraphy, Feng Shui underlies all aspects of life.

The basic premise of Feng Shui is that the energy of a home must never be allowed to stagnate. The positive energy represented by "yang" or colour white is what is needed to bring in good fortune to a home. When the energy "Chi" stagnates it attracts dullness, stillness and negativity and the Chinese believe that reduces the good fortune. The speed and direction of flow of Chi is equally important and this calls for proper planning of layout of rooms and placement of doors and windows such that the "Chi" meanders through the way. If the "Chi" is allowed to flow in straight, it gathers speed and takes on killing energy that harms the residents.

A slow and meandering "Chi" is considered very auspicious and this can be achieved using plants, low furniture and room dividers such as counters and side boards that slow down the "chi". The position and arranging the furniture contribute to the good flow of "Chi" and this becomes a skilful technique and art; hence enthuse is most often known as "Art of placement".

The process of controlling the movement of Chi was conceived during the emperor days. When Chi moves too quickly, it invites natural disasters like precipitous slopes that threaten avalanches in the winter or raging of rivers that overflow their banks in spring. One of the greatest achievements of the first yellow emperor was building of the Yellow River flood — control system. Equal in effort to the Great Wall of China, which he completed in the North, this system consisted of a series of dam, locks and diversions of the river's course, segments of which are still in use today.

The flow of energy in a building should be without much obstacles and free flowing. However this is not always possible due to many factors. The Health sector which is the centre of a building does get afflicted when the energy gets blocked and this causes frequent illness to the occupants.

Following symbolisms help in slow moving fast moving energy and restoring balance in your home:

• Placing a large mirror on the side wall (not facing the door) close to entrance lobby enhances the accumulation of chi energy near main door.

• Hang a picture or art in long corridors to break down fast moving chi.

• Displaying artifacts like sailing ships and objects which look nice and happy along the long corridors or close to main door creates a feel of balance and serenity.

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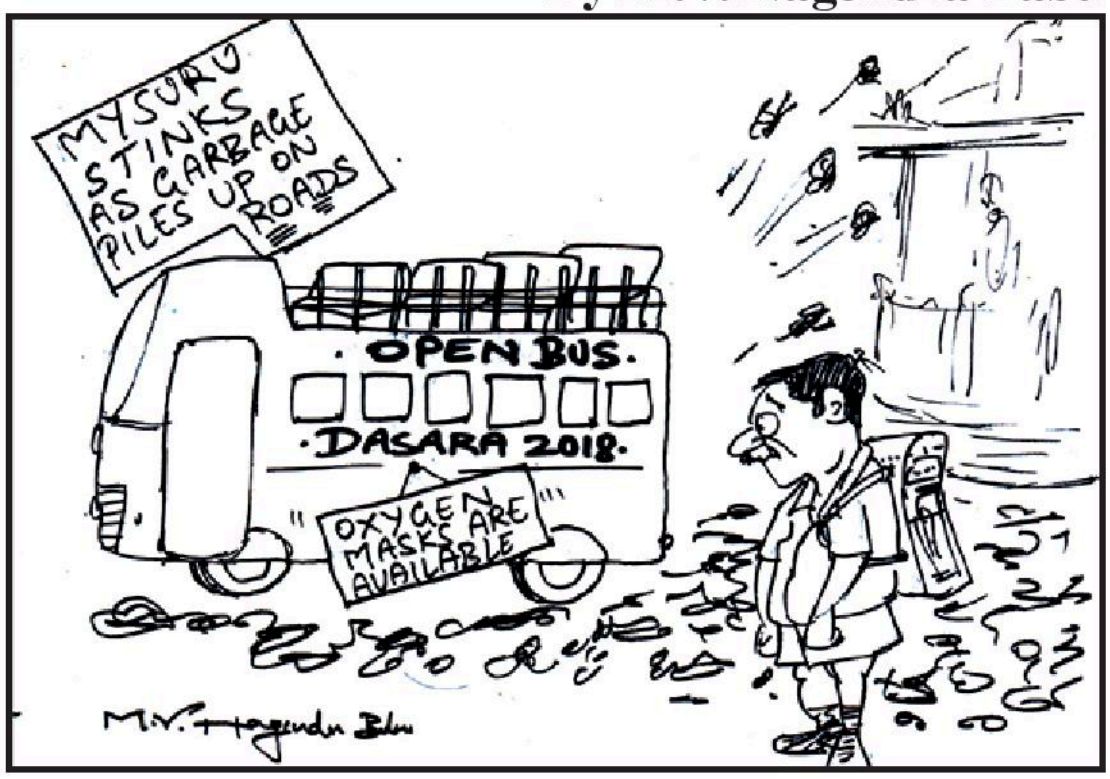
Babu's Banter

By M.V. Nagendra Babu



SWR to run more trains to clear rush during Dasara festival

Mysuru, Oct.9- South Western Railway (SWR), Mysuru Division, has decided to run the following trains to clear extra rush during Dasara festival:

1. SWR has decided to extend Train No.16023 Mysuru-Yasvantpur-Mysuru Malgudi Express train to Yelahanka Jn. during with effect from Oct.8. This extension will help the passengers arriving from Bangalore International Airport to commute between Mysuru and Bengaluru.

Train No.16023 will leave Mysuru at its schedule departure time 08.25 hrs and arrive at Yelahanka Jn. at 12.00 hrs. In return direction Train No.16024 will leave Yelahanka at 12.45 hrs and arrive at Mysuru 16.00 hrs.

2. It is also decided to run Train No.06557/06558 KSR Bengaluru-Mysuru-KSR Bengaluru Janasadharan Special Express to clear extra rush during Dasara between Mysuru and Bengaluru.

Date of service of Train No.06557 KSR Bengaluru-Mysuru Janasadharan special express is with effect from Oct.9 to 21 (13 trips).

Time Table and stoppage of Train No.06557 KSR Bengaluru- Mysuru

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
KSR Bengaluru	-	08.45
Kengeri	09.04	09.05
Ramanagaram	09.33	09.34
Channapatna	09.37	09.38
Maddur	09.55	09.56
Mandya	10.05	10.06
Pandavapura	10.45	10.45
Mysuru Jn	11.35	-

Date of service of train No.06558 Mysuru-Bengaluru Janasadharan special express is with effect from Oct.10 to Oct. 22 (13 trips).

Time table and stoppage of Train No.06558 Mysuru-KSR Bengaluru

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Mysuru Jn.	-	12.50
Pandavapura	13.10	13.11
Mandya	13.24	13.25
Maddur	13.45	13.46
Channapatna	14.05	14.06
Ramanagaram	14.16	14.17
Kengeri	14.40	14.42
KSR Beng.	15.45	-

The train will have a composition of 13 Sleeper Coaches, three General Second Class Coaches and 2 Second Class-cum-Brake Vans.

3. Train No.06223/06224 Shivamogga Town- Shravanabelagola - Shivamogga Town Tri-Weekly Janasadharan Special Express will run with effect from Oct.9 to 25 (8 trips) on the following days of services (Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday).

Time table and stoppages of Train No.06223 Shivamogga Town - Shravanabelagola

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Shivamogga Town	-	06.15
Shivamogga	06.20	06.21
Bhadravati	06.35	06.37
Tarikere	06.55	06.56
Birur Jn	07.28	07.30
Kadur	07.41	07.43
Arsikere Jn	08.18	08.23
Hassan	09.45	10.00
Shantigrama	10.15	10.16
Channarayapatna	10.48	10.50
Shravanabelagola	11.25	-

Time table and stoppages of Train No.06224 Shravanabelagola-Shivamogga Town

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Shravanabelagola	-	13.35
Channarayapatna	13.45	13.47
Shantigrama	14.09	14.11
Hassan	14.50	15.10
Arsikere	16.00	16.05
Kadur	16.40	16.42
Birur	16.52	16.54
Tarikere	17.20	17.21
Bhadravati	17.40	17.41
Shivamogga	17.56	17.57
Shivamogga Town	19.10	-

KSR Bengaluru-Shivamogga Train

1. SWR has also decided to extend Train No. 20651 ex KSR Bengaluru-Shivamogga Town daily super fast express up to Talguppa with effect from Oct. 10. The train will run as Superfast express between KSR Bengaluru to Shivamogga Town and as Ordinary express between Shivamogga Town to Talguppa.

Time Table of Train No.20651 on extended route.

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Shivamogga Town	19.55	20.00
Anandapuram	21.08	21.10
Sagar Jambugaru	21.38	21.40
Talguppa	22.15	-

2. Train No.20652 ex Shivamogga Town to KSR Bengaluru daily superfast express will commence journey from Talguppa with effect from Oct. 11. The train will run as Ordinary express between Talguppa to Shivamogga Town and further run as Super fast express between Shivamogga Town to KSR Bengaluru.

Time Table of Train No.20652 on extended route

Station Name	Arrival Time	Departure Time
Talguppa	-	03.50
Sagar Jambugaru	04.08	04.10
Anandapuram	04.38	04.40
Shivamogga Town	06.05	06.40

Winners of Wildlife Photography contest

A group photo of the winners of Wildlife Photography contest organised by the Forest Department in city recently. Front row - from left: ***K.A. Machaiah, S.R. Madhusudhan, V. Sheshadri and Prasad are seen with Forest Minister R. Shankar, CCF Venkateshan, APCCF Jagathram, PCCF C. Jayaram, Zoo Authority of Karnataka Member-Secretary B.P. Ravi, DCFs Sidramappa Chalkapure and Dr. Hanumanthappa.***

Applications invited from

Anganwadi workers and assistants

Mysuru, Oct.9 (RSB)- Applications are invited from the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme, to fill the vacant posts of one Anganwadi worker and 14 Anganwadi Assistant, to be appointed on honorarium basis in Mysuru (rural).

More details can be had from Child Development Programme Officer (CDPO), Mysuru (rural), No.32, near Kamakshi Hospital, T.K. Layout, Mysuru-570009 or call Ph: 0821-2567940.

The ICDS has also invited applications to fill two Anganwadi workers and 10 Anganwadi Assistants posts in Biligere, Nanjangud. For details, visit CDPO office, Mini Vidhana Soudha, Room No.50, Deviramanahalli Circle, Nanjangud-571301 or call Ph: 08221-297171.

Applications are also invited to fill vacant posts of a Mini Anganwadi worker, four Anganwadi workers and 19 Anganwadi Assistants in Hunsur. For details, visit the CDPO office in Hunsur or call Ph: 08222-252254.

Applications can be downloaded from *http://anganwadirecruit.kar.nic.in/* and the filled in application forms

Dr. K.L. Ramdas Memorial Inter-Collegiate B-Quiz competition held

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (KS)- TTL College of Business Management, Mysuru, had organised Dr.K.L. Ramdas Memorial Inter-collegiate B-Quiz competition in memory of its founder Chairman Dr. K.L. Ramdas at its premises in city recently.

The competition was inaugurated by Dr. N. Nagaraja, Associate Professor and Chairman, DoS in Commerce, University of Mysore. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Nagaraja stressed on building the gap from where we are to where students want to be in future and emphasised on the need for students to plan in advance to achieve their set objectives.

Thirty teams from 18 colleges in the city participated in the competition.

St. Joseph's First Grade College (FGC), Hindustan FGC and MICA College bagged the first, second, third places respectively. The winners also carried home the Rolling shield, cash prizes and certificates.

Free artificial limbs distributed

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (KS)- Ln. M.C. Bansali, District Chairman of District 317a of Lions Clubs International in association with Lions Club of Mysore West and Jain Milan Palace City, Mysuru, had organised a function to distribute artificial limbs to the needy in city recently.

As many as 35 artificial limbs were distributed to needy free of cost at Rajendra Bhavan auditorium in JSS Hospital premises in the presence of Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, Health and Family Welfare Minister Shivananda Patil and MLA S.A. Ramdas.

Jain Milan Palace City donated Rs. 2 lakh for poor patients undergoing dialysis and also donated Rs. 25,000 towards the artificial limbs on the occasion. The cheques were handed over to JSS Hospital by Manmal Darla and Sampath Kothari.

Ln. Bhansali was honoured by Minister Patil for his service.

NSS Day and Golden Jubilee celebrations of NSS held

Mysuru, Oct. 9 (KS)- The NSS Cell of JSS Academy of Higher Education & Research, Mysuru under the umbrella of National Service Scheme (NSS) celebrated NSS Day and the inauguration of Golden Jubilee celebration at Sri Rajendra auditorium in JSS College of Pharmacy in city recently.

Dr. B. Manjunatha, Registrar, JSS Academy of Higher Education & Research, Mysuru inaugurated the function by lighting the lamp.

Prof. G. K. Chandrashekarappa, Co-ordinator, Faculty of Life Science, Dr. H.K. Mamatha, Co-ordinator, Department of Health System Management Studies, Dr. T.M. Pramodkumar, Principal, JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru and Dr. K.L. Krishna, NSS Program Co-ordinator, JSS Academy of Higher Education & Research, Mysuru, were among those present at the grand celebrations.

Best NSS Volunteer Awards for the year 2017-18 were presented to JSS Medical College, Mysuru: L.K. Prajwal and Amitha V. Khatawkar.

JSS Dental College and Hospital, Mysuru: Dr. S. Varun and Dr. J. Pooja.

JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru: G. Naveen Datta and R. Geetha.

JSS College of Pharmacy, Ooty: S. Vignesh and Oorvashi.

University Dept. JSS AHER, Mysuru: B. Pramod and Syeda Nayaab.

Since JSS Academy of Higher education & Research is celebrating its 10th anniversary, NSS Officers, who served at the University were felicitated on the occasion.

Those who were felicitated are Dr. H.V. Gangadharappa, Former NSS Programme Coordinator, JSS AHER, Mysuru, Dr. Prashanth Vishwanath, Former NSS Programme Officer, JSS Medical College, Mysuru, Dr.K. Lingaraju, Former NSS PO, JSS Dental College & Hospital, Mysuru, Dr. R. Suresh Kumar, Former NSS PO, JSS College of Pharmacy, Ooty and Dr.K. Mruthunjaya, Former NSS PO, JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru; Dr. M. Umesh, Former NSS PO, JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru and Dr. K.L.Krishna, Former NSS PO, JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru, according to a press release.

WORD OF THE DAY

Orotund

Pronunciation: OR-uh-tund

Meaning: Marked by fullness, strength, and clarity of sound, sonorous or (of writing, style, or expression) pompous or pretentious; excessively elevated or inflated.
Origin: The Latin roots of orotund are related to two more common English words 'oral' and 'rotund'. Latin 'or' means "mouth," and 'rotundus' means "round" or "circular." The Roman poet Horace joined forms of those Latin terms to create the phrase ore rotundo, literally meaning "with round mouth," and figuratively meaning "with well-turned speech." Ore rotundo was modified to orotund and adopted into English in the late 18th century. It can indicate either strength of delivery or inflated wording.
Example: The millionaire's orotund manner made him come across as arrogant.

THE ODD WORD

Apple-knocker

An ignorant or unsophisticated person.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Dollars to doughnuts

Meaning: An outcome that is almost assured or a certainty of an event or activity; used to highlight sureness of something.

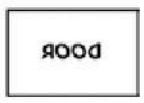
Origin: Dollars to doughnuts is one of several 'dollars to ..' phrases, like 'dollars to buttons' and 'dollars to cobwebs', which date from 1884 (in G. W. Peck's Boss Book) and 1904 (in The Boston Herald) respectively. It is obviously an American phrase and so it is used as donuts rather than its actual notation doughnuts. In earlier days when a dollar was worth more than it is now and a doughnut cost considerably less as compared to it, someone who was reasonably sure that an event would happen might bet upon it. This expression is used mostly in bets where one can be very sure about something and would bet for it.
Example: Dollars to donuts that the economy is going to be hit adversely due to fall in prices.

QUOTE BOX

Formal education will make you a living; self-education will make you a fortune. **—Jim Rohn**

RIDDLE THIS

Can you guess this rebus?



Answer: Back door

SUDOKU

	3	2				4	9	
9				1				7
4				9				3
	1			7			5	
6			4		8			9
	5			2			3	
2				6				5
3				4				1
	6	8				9	4	

Answer to previous puzzle

7	9	6	3	5	8	4	2	1
5	1	4	6	2	9	8	7	3
3	8	2	1	7	4	9	5	6
1	6	3	2	8	7	5	4	9
4	7	8	9	6	5	3	1	2
9	2	5	4	3	1	7	6	8
6	3	7	5	9	2	1	8	4
8	4	9	7	1	6	2	3	5
2	5	1	8	4	3	6	9	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

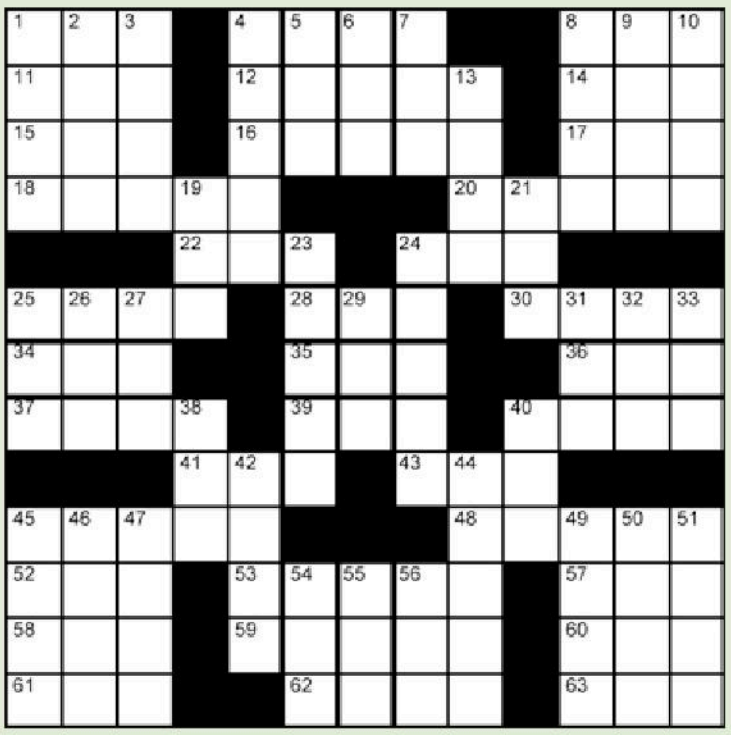
1 Petname for Florence
4 Mystery writer John Dickson ___
8 Track circuit
11 Inlet for "air" change!
12 Stand-offish
14 Against med. advice
15 To ___ is human?
16 Brazilian dance
17 Weep or sob
18 Flavour; elegance
20 Long handled tools with teeth or prongs used by gardeners
22 Amin of Uganda
24 Actress __ Ryan
25 Quantity of paper
28 Institute legal proceedings
30 A suffix meaning ruler
34 Eggs
35 Compass pt.
36 Old name for Tokyo
37 Excels or outdoes?
39 United Arab Emirates, in short
40 Mine opening
41 Admiration or respect
43 Bengali surname or boy's name
45 Flat surface
48 Vermin, rats, cockroaches, etal.
52 Direct a gun
53 Leaf of grass
57 Gardening implement
58 ___ sided : not balanced?
59 Canary's kin - "risen" for a change?
60 The possessive case of "we"
61 Abstract being - "sen" anagram?
62 Snow runners
63 A sphere or globe

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

O	M	S	■	P	A	L	P	■	L	A	R	A
W	I	T	■	A	P	A	E	■	A	M	A	N
E	M	U	■	T	E	X	T	■	R	A	N	N
D	I	N	A	R	■	■	S	O	Y	■	■	■
■	■	■	D	O	N	E	■	S	N	A	P	■
C	L	E	A	N	E	D	■	E	X	P	A	T
N	O	W	■	■	B	I	D	■	■	I	R	U
S	L	E	D	S	■	C	R	I	M	S	O	N
■	A	R	U	T	■	T	Y	P	E	■	■	■
■	■	■	L	Y	E	■	■	H	O	L	D	S
Z	I	N	C	■	B	R	I	O	■	E	R	I
I	L	I	E	■	R	O	A	N	■	I	A	N
P	E	L	T	■	O	I	S	E	■	A	B	S

DOWN

1 Worry, feel irritated
2 Former Italian coin
3 Implements used to propel or steer a boat
4 Checked out
5 __ __ mode : in this fashion or style (1,2)
6 Read only memory, acronym
7 Steal from
8 ___ nothing : have everything?
9 Ex-India batsman Pravin ___
10 ___ a call: visits?
13 Price of ride
19 Timothy's petname
21 Turkish commander or chief officer
23 Send out or emit
24 A cat making a sound, perhaps?
25 Fabled bird
26 ___ Braun : Hitler's paramour?
27 "You" in Urdu
29 Superpower nation
31 ___ light : signal to stop?
32 Course Deviation Indicator
33 ___ under the collar : angry or resentful?
38 ___ Angelo : city in Western Texas?
40 ___, ___ sir : an agreement from the sailor (same word)?
42 They are woven by spiders
44 ___ the innings : what Sidhu does for India cricket team?
45 Deathly ___ : ashen?
46 King of Beasts
47 "Maps" changed into electrical units
49 Say it and frighten the birds away?
50 A trip or a journey
51 One-time Yugoslav
54 French article
55 Noah's boat
56 502, in Rome



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

ZDM WNJWZG EWGG RWSNMPX DA

OBX JWZ OD GMVVXGG

TODAY'S CLUE: M EQUALS U

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: The worst loneliness is not to be comfortable with yourself.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
A+	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Ambi Ning Vayassaytho	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
Ayogya	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Sarkari. Hi. Pra. Shale	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
Adi Purana	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
Snehana Preethina	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
ENGLISH			
Venom	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	2 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
HINDI			
Loveyatri - A Journey Of Love	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	2 Shows
Secret Girl 009	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Chekka Chivantha Vaanam	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
96 (Ta)	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
TELUGU			
NOTA	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
BHOJPURI			
Nagraj	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
RENOVATION WORKS UNDERWAY			
Sri Maruthi (9980351129); Skyline (2481170)			

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Nota (Te)	(S-1)	10.30 am, 9.45 pm
Sui Dhaaga - Made In India (H)	(S-1)	1.30 pm, 7.15 pm
Sarkari. Hi. Pra. Shale (K)	(S-1)	4.15 pm
Naduve Antarivirali (K)	(S-2)	11.00 am
96 (Ta)	(S-2)	1.55 pm
Johnny English Strikes Again (E)	(S-2)	5.00 pm
Andhadhun (H)	(S-2)	7.00 pm, 9.50 pm
Ambi Ning Vayassaytho (K)	(S-3)	10.45 am, 7.00 pm
Aadipurana (K)	(S-3)	1.15 pm
Deva Daasu (Te)	(S-3)	4.00 pm
Mandharam (Ma)	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Venom (3D- E)	(S-4)	11 am, 7.20 pm, 9.55 pm
Loveyatri - A Journey Of Love (H)	(S-4)	1.20 pm
Chekka Chivantha Vaanam (Ta)	(S-4)	4.15 pm

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Naduve Antarivirali (K)	(S-1)	12.30 pm
Andhadhun (H)	(S-2)	9.55 am, 3.30 pm
	(S-1)	9.50 pm
96 (Ta)	(S-4)	10.25 am; (S-2) 6.25 pm
NOTA (Te)	(S-3)	12.45 pm; (S-2) 9.40 pm
Loveyatri - A Journey Of Love (H)	(S-3)	9.55 am, 6.55 pm
Ambi Ning Vayassaytho (K)	(S-2)	12.50 pm; (S-4) 7.15 pm
Sui Dhaaga - Made In India (H)	(S-4)	9.55 pm
Chekka Chivantha Vaanam (Ta)	(S-3)	9.45 pm
Deva Daasu (Te)	(S-3)	3.45 pm
A + (K)	(S-4)	4.25 pm
Aadipurana (K)	(S-4)	1.35 pm
Johnny English Strikes Again (E)	(S-1)	5.15 pm

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96 (Ta)	9.55 am, 10.00 pm
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Johnny English Strikes Again (E)	11.45 am
Sarkari. Hi. Pra. Shale (K)	12.25 pm
Chekka Chivantha Vaanam (Ta)	1.00 pm
Ambi Ning Vayassaytho (K)	1.10 pm, 4.05 pm
Venom (3D- E)	1.55 pm, 10.00 pm
Deva Daasu (Te)	3.35 pm
Sui Dhaaga - Made in India (H)	4.10 pm
Naduve Antaravirali (K)	4.30 pm
LoveYatri (H)	6.50 pm
Andhadhun (H)	6.55 pm, 9.55 pm
Village Rockstars (Assamese)	6.55 pm
Aadipurana (K)	7.00 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

Devi Navaratri celebrations
at Ganapathy Ashrama from Oct. 10 to 20

Mysuru, Oct.9- Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetha has organised Devi Navaratri celebrations at Nada Mantapa of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama, Ooty Road here from Oct.10 to 20 in the presence of Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji.

The daily events are as follows:

9.00 am	Devi Utsava, Kumari Puja, Srichakra Puja, Navavarana Puja.
9.30 am	Music Concert / Bhajans.
12 noon	Annarchana, Devi Puja, Homa Purnahuti.
4.00 pm	Mahamangala Arati, Suvasini Puja, Dolotsava.
6.30 pm	Bhajans and discourse by Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji.

Music Concerts / Bhajans at 9 am from Oct.10 to 19

Oct. 10	**9.00 am**	Karnatak vocal by Vidushi Sudha, Mysuru
	10.30 am	Karnatak vocal by Vidushi Yamini Krishna, Srikakulam.
Oct. 11	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Akividu Bhajana Mandali
	10.30 am	Bhajans by Srikakulam Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 12	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Vijayawada Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 13	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Chennai Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 14	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Bengaluru Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 15	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Rajamundry Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 16	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Kochi Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 17	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Hyderabad Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 18	**9.00 am**	Karnatak vocal by Vidushi Sushma Somashekar, Vidushi Sudha Iyer on violin, Vidwan Delhi Sairam on mridanga.
Oct. 19	**9.00 am**	Bhajans by Mysuru Bhajana Mandali.
Oct. 20	**10.00 am**	Shanti Homa, Navaratri Mangalacharana

For details, contact Siddhartha (PRO) on Mob: 94483-90946.

Navaratri Fest at Gujarati Samaj

Mysuru, Oct.9- Shri Mysore Gujarati Samaj is conducting Gujarati Garba and Dandiya Folk Dance at their Samaj Bhavan in Yadavagiri from Oct.10 to 18 from 8 pm to 10.30 pm. Those interested in taking part in the celebrations, may contact Nitin H. Shah on Mob: 93438-28307 or Gaurav J. Shah on Mob: 97315 - 10198.

EVENTS TODAY (OCT. 9)

Ramsons Kala Pratishtana: 14th edition of Bombe Mane, Pratima Gallery, located above Aamrapali Sarees' Showroom, Nazarbad Main Road, **up to 7.30 pm.**

Arsha Vidya Ashrama: Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita' by Sri Chidrupananda Sarswati Swamiji, Sadvidya School, Narayan Shastri Road, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (OCT. 10)

Arsha Vidya Ashrama: Discourse on 'Upanishad' by Sri Chidrupananda Sarswati Swamiji, Shankara Prathana Mandira, V.V. Puram, **7 am;** Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita' by Sri Chidrupananda Sarswati Swamiji, Sadvidya School, Narayan Shastri Road, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Chandramoulishwara Swamy Devasthanam Charitable Trust, V.V. Mohalla: Sharannavaratri Festival-2018, Swasthivachana, Yagashala Pravesha, Ganapathi Puja Devatha Naandi Kalasha Stapane, Temple premises, **8 am.**\

Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama, Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetha: Devi Navaratri Celebrations, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji will grace the occasion, Devi Utsava, Kumari Puja, Srichakra Puja, Navavarana Puja, 9 am; Karnatak Vocal by Vidu. Sudha, Mysuru, **9.30 am;** Karnatak Vocal by Vidu. Yamini Krishna, Srikakulam, **10.30 am;** Annarchana, Devi Puja, Homa Purnahuti, 12 noon; Mahamangala Arati, Suvasini Puja, Dolotsava, 4 pm; Bhajans and discourse by Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji, Nada Mantapa, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama, Ooty Road, **6.30 pm.**

Ramsons Kala Pratishtana: 14th edition of Bombe Mane, Pratima Gallery, located above Aamrapali Sarees' Showroom, Nazarbad Main Road, **10 am to 7.30 pm.**

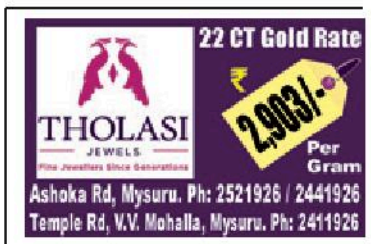
Rangayana: Navaratri Rangothsava, staging of play 'Checkmate' by Rangayana - Mysuru (the play is directed by Anoop Joshi), Vanaranga, Rangayana premises, **7 pm.**

City lecturer bags Global Teacher Award

Dr. Poornima Umesh

Mysuru, Oct.9 (KS)- Dr. Poornima Umesh, Head, Department of Hindi at St. Philomena's College, Bannimantap, Mysuru, has been awarded the 'Global Teacher Award 2018' by Alert Knowledge Services, New Delhi, for excellence in education.

The award was presented at a function organised at a private hotel in New Delhi last month.



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